

REMARKS

The Office Action contends that the claims of Group I, i.e., claims 9 to 21, and Group II, i.e., claims 22 to 25, lack unity of invention. While Applicant does not necessarily agree with the merits of this contention, to facilitate matters, Applicant elects Group I, i.e., claims 9 to 21, for further prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

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